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## THE CONFERENCE.

In the list of homes assigned to members of the Conference last week, there were some errors made. A number of gentlemen, who had agreed to board members, had not given to the Committee the boarding houses selected, and were left off the list. We publish a few more names to-day. If any one is left off the list who have agreed to take members of the Conference, it is by mistake. Some who have agreed to board members of the Conference, have not yet reported to the Committee the boarding places selected. They are requested to do this before the 25th.

All persons who have agreed to take, are requested to be upon the square Tuesday evening as the preachers arrive.

Sam Lewis:—J. H. Richerson  
Alec Chewing:—C. N. McGill.  
J. S. Stapp:—J. A. Chandler, G. W. Dennis.  
Frank Sinclair:—G. W. Hummel, R. H. Roe.  
Jno. Eubank:—J. P. Hoggan.  
Braxton Massie:—C. F. Winberly, C. H. Bromley.  
J. H. Judd:—J. E. Shelton.  
Wm. Frankum:—R. M. Wheat, R. E. White.

Committee.

## ORDINATION AT RUSSELL SPRINGS.

On September 8, 1907, pursuant to the call of Mt. Vernon Baptist Church upon Russell Springs Baptists, of Russell Springs, C., to ordain one of her members, who had been called to the care of said Mt. Vernon Church, to the full work of the gospel ministry, a Presbytery was called, composed of (when organized,) J. M. Pierce, Moderator, J. Grider, Secretary, W. B. Cave to question candidate on articles of faith, and to preach the sermon, C. F. Breeding to lead the prayer, C. M. Deener to give charge to both candidates at church. J. Wade, pastor of Russell Spring church, together with Deacons from Welfare and Mt. Vernon Churches. The candidate was rigidly examined and found to be sound in faith and doctrines of the Bible. The sermon was preached from Second Timothy 2: 15-18.

The Assembly was dismissed by candidate, Bro. B. F. Voils.

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## CIRCUIT COURT.

A very large crowd was in Columbia last Monday, the opening of circuit court. Judge Baker opened court promptly at 10 o'clock and the remainder of the forenoon was occupied in instructing the grand jury. The jury is composed of twelve good men and the usual instructions were given. The following compose the two juries:

### GRAND JURY,

W. B. Cave Foreman, Bob Royse, J. E. Flowers, W. H. C. Sandidge, John Johnson, Dink Dillingham, John M. Conover, Valentine Leftwich, Mont Montgomery, G. R. Akin, King Rogers, and George Flowers.

### PETIT JURY,

Al Thomas, S. L. Sandusky, J. B. Cave, W. L. Simpson, Horace Massie, Wyatt Feese, Jno. F. Hamilton, Willis Shepherd, A. G. Todd, Willis Humphrey, Richard Hutchison, Albert Johnson, John Harvey, Milt James, Joel Watson, Everett Murrell, Geo. L. Wolford, W. E. Johnson, Frank Hardwick, James Cooley, F. W. Miller, B. F. Monday, Ben E. Rowe, and L. B. Hurt.

## SUCCESSFUL OPERATION.

Miss Minnie Triplett of this place, who is spending the Fall at Petosky, Mich., was operated on for appendicitis in that city last Sunday week. Her brothers here did not know the operation was going to be performed until after it was over, though they had been notified that she was threatened with the complaint. Miss Minnie's friends will be glad to know that she stood the operation, nicely and is rapidly improving, as every mail brings that information.

Mr. J. O. Russell will build a modern cottage on a lot opposite his residence. Mr. A. D. Coy is the contractor, and the work will commence at once. It is our information that Mr. Jo Russell and wife will occupy the cottage.

## MARRIED IN CHICAGO ILL.

The intelligence of the marriage of Dr. Almon Jones to Miss Lena Williams, did not reach us in time for our last week's issue. They were married at Chicago, Ill., August 31, where Dr. Jones was taking a post-graduate course. This union was not a surprise to those who have been on the inside, as the couple had been going together for several years. The groom is a son of Dr. J. T. Jones, Montpelier, and is a physician who has been given quite superior advantages, a gentleman of high character. The bride is a most excellent young woman—no better in Adair county, possessing all the characteristics which go to make up true womanhood. At this writing it is not known where the couple will locate.

## RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

Whereas, The Supreme Grand Master of the universe has called from his labors here on earth, to eternal refreshments above, our beloved brother, G. Whit Flowers, in his 71st year, therefore.

Resolved, That Gradyville Lodge, No 251, F. and A. M. has lost a true and faithful member, his wife a faithful companion, his children a devoted father, the Church and community a Christian in the truest sense.

Second, That this Lodge extend to the bereft family its heartfelt sympathy in this great hour of affliction

Third, That these resolutions be spread upon the record book of this Lodge and a copy sent to each of the county papers for publication, and a copy sent to the family of the deceased.

W. M. Wilmore,  
S. A. Taylor,  
L. C. Nell.

Committee.

## IMPROVING.

Mr. David Garvin, of this place, who fell from a scaffold at his residence of Mr. J. T. Mercer, Milltown, last week, dislocating his shoulder and receiving other bodily injuries, is improving, but it will be some days before he will be able to resume work. Immediately after the accident Mr. Garvin was conveyed to his home in Columbia where he received medical attention and where he could be under care of his family

## MR. JOHN ROYSE DEAD.

A paper from Sherman, Texas, gives an account of the death of Mr. John Royse, which occurred in that city August 17. The deceased was a native of Adair county, a brother of Mr. Solomon Royse and Mrs. Stephen Conover. The deceased was sixty-five years old, and very popular in Sherman, where he resided a number of years. The paper stated that his death was caused by a bite inflicted by some kind of insect. He leaves a wife.

Circuit Court brought a large crowd to Columbia last Monday, and business was lively with all the merchants from early in the morning until late in the afternoon. There were a number of stock dealers here, and quite a number of mules and horses changed hands. Jockey street was crowded with horse swappers, and a number of men went home riding a different horse from the one they came in on. Speaking of horse jockeys, it is said that five or six men in this county make their living in that way, only.

One of the best sermons delivered in this town for many moons came from Rev. A. R. Kasey last Sunday night. It was at union services held at the Baptist church, a very large congregation being out. No speaker was ever accorded closer attention. His subject was the love of God for his earthly children, plainly showing that the way to the celestial city was plain, and if men and women did not enter therein it was their own fault.

The Louisville Conference will convene in Columbia next Wednesday. Preachers from all over the State will be here, and during the week it will be in session our people will be given an opportunity, to hear some of the strong men of the Methodist Church.

Eld. W. K. Azbill will fill the pulpit at Christian Church next Sunday forenoon.

## VICTIM OF CANCER.

Mr. Adolph Myers, who was a citizen of Columbia, having removed to this place from Hardin county, several years ago, died in St. Mary and Elizabeth hospital, Louisville, last Saturday at 11:45 o'clock a. m. He was sixty-two years old, and was afflicted with a cancer, having gone to Louisville for treatment. He was a quiet, good citizen, and at one time was Town Marshal of Columbia. He leaves a number of children, all of whom, as we understand, reside in Hardin county.

Young & Coffey sold their handsome three year old show stallion, "Highland Peacock," to W. L. Grady, of this county. The price paid was private, but we are informed that it was the highest price ever paid in this section of Kentucky for a saddle colt of his age. This colt has been shown the past two seasons through Southern Kentucky and a part of Tennessee, where he won many blue ties, and the admiration of all horse lovers who saw him exhibited. He was sired by Jordan Peacock 1148, and bred by James Clayton, of Creelsboro, Ky., who now owns his dam. She is descendant of the great Artist family, being by Raven Artist, 1043; he by Artist 75. Mr. Grady is now at Cookeville, Tenn., where he will show his fine string of horses this week.

Mr. J. C. Strange, who is at work on Mr. Walker Bryant's residence met with a very serious accident last Wednesday. He was using his pocket knife, the blade slipping, and the index finger of his left hand was almost severed. It will be ten days or more before he can use the finger.

Mrs. W. F. Hancock will have her millinery goods on exhibition the first of next week. She has purchased a very attractive stock and respectfully invites all her friends to call at her store. Miss Carlisle is with her.

Henry and Porter Polson are condemned to hang at Albany, December 6, 1907. They murdered an old lady named Julia Brown. An appeal will be taken, but Judge Jarvis has passed sentence on the condemned men.

Mrs. James Garnett entertained a number of her Columbia lady friends and also several lady visitors last Wednesday evening. Refreshments were served and the evening very enjoyably spent.

Rev. E. W. Coakley preached at the Baptist Church last Sunday forenoon. At the close of his discourse there were two additions to the church, Misses Mary and Corinne Shearer, daughters of Eld. Trabue Shearer.

It is our understanding that the S. W. Buchanan Institute Campbellsville, opened with flattering prospects. The first day about eighty pupils matriculated and that number was augmented during the week.

The Baptist Academy at Campbellsville opened with eighty-seven pupils, and up to last Friday the number had increased to ninety-seven. The outlook is very promising to the management.

Mr. James McGee, of Somerset, son of Mrs. Delia McGee, was married last week to Miss Willie Kersey, of Monterey, Tenn. The couple are now with the groom's mother, in Somerset.

LOST:—A pocket book containing some money and a lot of notes. The finder will leave at this office. The finder will be rewarded.

Geo. J. Hurt.

We very much regret that we were unable to publish all of Judge S. W. Hager's opening speech in this issue. The remainder, about six and a half columns, will appear next week.

It was but little trouble last week to find life insurance agents upon the square. Every time you turned around you faced one.

Recital at Lindsay-Wilson next Saturday evening Miss Shannon assisted by Miss Pendlan. Every body invited.

The Methodist church is completed. Union services will be held there next Sunday evening, the sermon to be preached by Rev. J. C. Cook.

## FELLOWSHIP AND UNITY.

I do not believe there is another town in Kentucky which can boast of as much visible love and unity between the various ministers and their congregations as Columbia when the size and population are taken into consideration.

A beautiful instance of this kindly spirit and the fellowship between two ministers of the gospel was exhibited at the Christian Church Sunday morning.

The Rev. A. R. Kasey, pastor of the Methodist Church, occupied the pulpit, and at the close of his sermon in a few eloquent and well chosen words he tendered his sincere thanks to the Christian minister and his congregation for the use of their church during the past two months, while the Methodist church was being remodeled. In the absence of the pastor, Elder Z. T. Williams, Elder W. K. Azbill responded to, Rev. Kasey's expression of thanks and gratitude, and said that in speaking for Eld. Williams, he was sure that it had been, both a pleasure and a profit as well as edifying to have had Rev. Kasey and his congregation worship with them, as it was a token of unity and oneness of the Lord's people, and true Christian spirit. Another invitation was extended by Eld. Azbill, to Rev. Kasey and his congregation to make the Christian church their home for services again, at any future time they may desire to. The first services in the newly remodeled Methodist church will be next Sunday evening.

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## Stock Sales

I. C. Winfrey, of Cumberland county, sold a combined horse to a Mr. Vanhoy for \$140.

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John Holladay sold Bennett and Walker 47 hogs at \$5.60 per hundred. He also sold Charles Herriford 18 head of cattle for \$411. To L. B. Cain 3 head for \$72.

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Arthur E. Stanton bought one span of mules from Charlie Hammonds for \$200.—Felix cor.

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G. H. Stephens sold a pair of two year old mules to Virgel Rexroat last week for \$50.—Eller cor.

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A. J. Mank is buying up calves for fall grazing, he also sold a cow to Geo. Blakeman for \$28; and a colt to Boss Sullivan for \$65.—Mell cor.

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Venus Royse sold three head of cattle to R. Y. Simpson for \$55.—Dirigo cor.

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FOR SALE:—One milk cow; eight thoroughbred Berkshire pigs.

45-1t A. H. BALLARD.

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W. W. Cook bought a suckling mule colt Monday for \$57.50.

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Harris Bros. sold to Walker & Bennett, 3 head of cattle for \$47.47, and one to G. Rasner for \$15.

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Dr. W. B. Helm sold 4 calves to a Mr. Calhoun for \$48; one calf to Nathan Bridgewaters for \$21; one cow to Mrs. Alice Arnett for \$25; he bought a mule colt from Porter Curry for \$71; one from Mrs. Dorinda Jeffries for \$50; One from Marcus Hood for \$12; Mrs. Alice Arnett sold a cow to Anderson Bros. for \$24; one calf to James Phillips for \$12; bought one cow from Brook Pierce for \$24; H. C. Moore, of Gresham, sold a cow to Anderson Bros. for \$17.—Thurlow Cor.

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Albert Ware sold last week to Mr. George Phillips, one suckling colt sired by young Kentucky Squirrel, owned by Henry Griffin, of Taylor county, for the sum of \$125.—Coburg Cor.

Taken up as a stray, by M. O. Stevenson, living northeast of Columbia about 2 miles, 1 white male hog. No mark except 2 black spots on each side; about 18 months old. Given under my hand this 31st of August, 1907.

43-4t JOHN EUBANK, J. P. A. C.

Born, to the wife of W. D. Bridgewater, September 14th, a 10 pound son.

Mrs. J. D. Walker and Mrs. Jo Coffey, Sr., Spent the day at Mrs. Harriet Yates, of Gradyville, last Friday.

Mr. John Waller Johnston, the clothing man, will be here on Monday, September 30. See his ad and come to see him.

G. Rasner has sold his stock of groceries to Al Sinclair. Mr. Rasner will continue to run a meat shop in the same building.

Mr. N. M. Tutt has razed his old residence, on Burkesville street, and preparations are now being made for a handsome brick home.

Mr. J. O. Russell has now the convenience of water works at his residence. The outfit was put in operation last Friday, by Mr. J. F. Patteson.

The finder of my money purse containing some small change and watch key will please leave at News office. John Johnson.

FOR SALE:—High class seed oats and wheat. Samples at the News office. CALDWELL BROS., Burdick, Ky. 45-2t

Russell & Co., are advertising their Fall stock of goods—the most complete stock they have ever opened up and that means a great deal to those who have examined their previous displays.

## CLEMENTSVILLE.

It has been raining on the just as well as the unjust.

The recent rains have made the corn crops in this county the best for many years.

Last week new sorghum was made by Hilary Wethington, the expert lasses manufacturer of this community.

At Bernard's Parochial school at this place opened its doors on Monday, September 2nd, with an attendance of 67 pupils. Since then the number has increased to 71 with prospects of many more. An assistant teacher will be employed within a few days. It speaks well for this school that at its very onset it has received generous patronage from the community.

Mr. Thomas King of Campbellsville, is making concrete foundation and porch for Ward and Wethington's new store.

Miss Mattie Wethington and Mr. Fladgett Clements, both of Clementsville, will be united in the holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. A. L. O. Shea at St. Bernard's church on Tuesday morning, September 17. Both are popular young people of this section and have the best wishes of a host of friends for a long and happy life.

Mr. Marxwell, a turner for the Royer Wheel plant of this city is visiting friends at Portland, Indiana. Uncle "Pins" and Marthy Wethington of this section are in Campbellsville on business this week.

Mr. Gail Brown, of the Brush Creek section paid us a pleasant visit this week.

Mr. Eugene Wethington has purchased a new buggy, and will doubtless spend his declining years in ease and happiness.

There will soon be an effort made to organize a society in this city to be known as the "Sons of Rest" or "Non-Sweaters." It will be composed only of men opposed to manual labor. Any member found assisting his wife or mother in toting wood, water or any other chores will be considered an unfriendly act to the society.